GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ATOMIC ENERGY
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4356
ANSWERED ON:22.08.2001
REHABILITATION OF TARAPUR PLANT OUSTEES
CHINTAMAN NAVSHA WANAGA

Will the Minister of ATOMIC ENERGY be pleased to state:

the details of measures taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to rehabilitate persons affected by the extension of 3rd and 4th phase of Tarapur Atomic Power Station?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES, AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL AND TRAINING, DEPARTMENT OF PENSIONS AND PENSIONERS WELFARE OF THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF ATOMIC ENERGY AND SPACE (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE)

The rehabilitation plan for Project Affected Persons (PAPs) is formulated and implemented by the State Government and the Nuclear Power Corporation of India Ltd. NPCIL provides the necessary funds to the State Government for this purpose after the rehabilitation package has been finalised.

This rehabilitation package involves the rehabilitation of 1167 families in Akkarpatti and Pophran villages. No family has been evacuated so far. The matter is still under the consideration of the State Government of Maharashtra. Nuclear Power Corporation of India Ltd. has already deposited funds to the tune of Rs.4.26 crore with the State Government towards the rehabilitation plan.

Preference has also been given for employment to PAPs either directly or through the contractors, subject to their meeting the requirement for the jobs and availability of vacancies.